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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/862,588
Filed: May 23, 2001
**THIN FILM TRANSISTOR SUBSTRATE FOR A LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY
AND A METHOD FOR REPAIRING THE SUBSTRATE**
Inventor: Jang-Kun SONG
Our Ref: 6192.0230.AA

Sir:

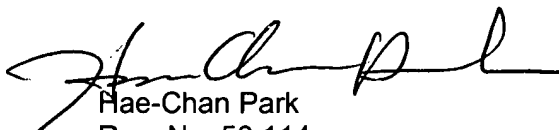
The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office:

1. A Transmittal Letter;
2. A Response to Election/Restriction Requirement; and
3. Two Acknowledgement postcards.

It is respectfully requested that the attached copy of the postcard be stamped with the
filing date of these documents and returned to our courier.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee
deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 23-1951 referencing docket
number 6192.0230.AA.

Respectfully submitted,



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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In reply to the June 2, 2003 Restriction Requirement, Applicants provisionally elects

Claims 1-12, drawn to a first embodiment, with traverse.

It is also respectfully submitted that the subject matter of all claims is sufficiently related that a thorough search for the subject matter of any one Group of claims would encompass a search for the subject matter of the remaining claims. Thus, it is respectfully submitted that the search and examination of the entire application could be made without serious burden. See MPEP §803 in which it is stated that "if the search and examination of an entire application can be made without serious burden, the examiner must examine it on the merits, even though it includes claims to independent or distinct inventions." It is respectfully submitted that this

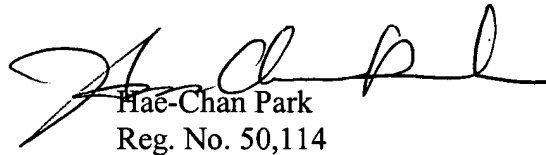
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policy should apply in the present application in order to avoid unnecessary delay and expense to Applicants and duplicative examination by the Patent Office.

Thus, withdrawal of the Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested.

It is not believed that any extensions of time or fees are required. However, if an extension of time is necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 23-1951.

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